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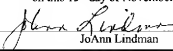
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Dear Sir:

This paper is presented in response to the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review mailed October 10, 2006, further in response to the Advisory Action mailed July 12, 2006 and further in response to the Final Office Action mailed May 9, 2006. A Notice of Appeal was properly filed September 15, 2006. Thus, this paper is timely filed. A Request for Continued Examination is filed herewith. Please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the **Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.